



Outreach Programs

Designed to come to you!

General Information

In-class Programs: *Class lectures, slide shows, and hands-on activities can be scheduled for your school. Reservations are required and are based on staff availability and distance of travel from Boise.*

Monograph Series

Idaho Archaeology & Ethnology

Grades: 4-12

Cost: *Varies*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Contact:

*Idaho Historic Preservation Office
210 Main Street
Boise, ID 83702
208 334-3847 or
mdavis@ishs.state.id.us*

These monographs are published by the Archaeological Survey of Idaho. The purpose of the series is to distribute results of archaeological work in Idaho. The first monograph in the series is entitled “Cold Storage on the Snake River Plain: Archaeological Investigations at Bobcat Cave” by Lael Suzann Henrikson (1996).

Traveling Exhibits

Grades: 4-12

Cost: *\$35/exhibit (plus shipping costs to the next location which can range from \$25 to \$65)*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Lending Time: *up to 6 weeks*

Contact:

*Idaho State Historical Museum
610 N. Julia Davis Drive
Boise, ID 83702
208 334-2120 or
callen@ishs.state.id.us*

“Prehistory”

“Native American Experience and Early European Contact”

“Migration and Settlement”

“Mining”

“Agriculture and Ranching”

“Logging and Timber”

“Family Cultures”

*“Raices Historica:
Hispanic Roots of Idaho”*

*“Idaho History through
Literature and Art”*

*“Amerikanuak! Basques in the
High Desert”*

Traveling Trunks

Grades: 3-12

Cost: *Free (Return postage only)
A trunk can be picked up from the Idaho Historical Museum in Boise, or a traveling case can be shipped anywhere in Idaho.*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Lending Time: *2 weeks*

Contact:

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Lewis & Clark Trunk

Several lesson plans accompany this trunk and focus on the journal writing, plant identification, and map-making activities of the Corps of Discovery’s trip through Idaho. The articles in the trunk are replicas of items packed by Lewis and Clark. Funded in part by a grant from the Idaho Community Foundation.



Statehouse Trunk

Lesson plans focus on architecture, state government, natural science, and Idaho history. Contents include: a slide program with narrative script, background information, artifacts of the state capitol building and other teaching aids.

Public Presentations on Archaeology

Grades: 4-12

Cost: *Free materials*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Contact:

*Idaho Historic Preservation Office
210 Main Street
Boise, ID 83702
208 334-3847 or
mdavis@ishs.state.id.us*

Topics include archaeology and prehistory of Idaho, archaeology in the classroom and ethnobotany.

Slide/Video Shows

Grades: 4-12

Cost: *Free (Return postage only)*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Lending Time: *2 weeks*

Contact:

*Idaho State Historical Museum
610 N. Julia Davis Drive
208 334-2120 or
kmajor@ishs.state.id.us*

Slide Shows

“Early Boise” - 40 min

“Indians of Idaho” - 30 min

“Women in Idaho History” - 30 min

“The Chinese in Early Idaho History” - 20 min

“Idaho Visual History”

“History of Water Use in Idaho” - 30 min

“They Left Their Mark: Environmental History of Idaho” - 30 min

Videos

“Doin’ Time” - 20 min

“Video tour of the Idaho Statehouse” - 22 min

Public Presentations on Historic Preservation

Grades: 4-12

Cost: *Free materials*

Use: *Schools/Museums/Libraries*

Contact:

*Idaho Historic Preservation Office
210 Main Street
Boise, ID 83702
208 334-3827 or
tcanaday@ishs.state.id.us*

Topics include: architectural history styles, placing properties on the National Register of Historic Places, and strategies for teaching using historic places. These presentations are available from staff members of the State Historic Preservation Office.

